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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office communication dated December 1, 2006, please amend the above-mentioned application as follows:

Amendment to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

Copies of Tables and Figures are enclosed.